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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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META PLATFORMS, INC.
Petitioner,

v.

COGMEDIA LLC,
Patent Owner.

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Case No. IPR2026-00247
U. S. Patent No. 9,817,562

PATENT OWNER'S MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION OF DAVE R. GUNTER

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c), the Patent Owner seeks *pro hac vice* admission of Dave R. Gunter as backup counsel in this *inter partes* review.

This motion satisfies the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c). In particular, lead counsel for the Patent Owner is a registered patent attorney, and there is good cause to admit Mr. Gunter as *pro hac vice* backup counsel for the Patent Owner.

Exhibit 2001, which accompanies this motion, is a declaration by Mr. Gunter explaining that he satisfies all of the criteria for *pro hac vice* admission, as set forth in *Motorola Mobility LLC v. Arnouse,* IPR2013-00010 (MPT), Paper 6 (Oct. 15, 2012). In particular, this motion is being filed within 21 days of service of the petition for *inter partes* review, and Mr. Gunter is a member in good standing of at least the State Bar of Texas, has never been suspended or disbarred, has never had an application for admission denied, has never been sanctioned or cited for contempt, has read and agrees to comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rule of Practice for Trials set forth in part 42 of the Code of Federal Regulations, and submits to be subject to the PTO's code of professional responsibility and disciplinary jurisdiction. Mr. Gunter has appeared *pro hac vice* in the following PTO proceedings in the last three years:

- Generac Power Systems, Inc. v. PSLC LLC, Case: IPR2026-00022, U.S. Patent No. 11,967,857.
- Generac Power Systems, Inc. v. PSLC LLC, Case: IPR2026-00023, U.S. Patent No. 11,967,857.

- Generac Power Systems, Inc. v. PSLC LLC, Case: IPR2026-00024, U.S. Patent No. 11,967,857.

In addition to the above, Mr. Gunter has an established familiarity with the subject matter of this review as a result of having been counsel for Plaintiff in the following patent infringement lawsuit of the patent under review: *Cogmedia LLC v. Meta Platforms, Inc.,* Civil Action No. 1:25-cv-12127, pending in the District of Massachusetts.

For the foregoing reasons, the Patent Owner respectfully requests that the Board admit Mr. Gunter *pro hac vice* in this *inter partes* review.

Dated: April 6, 2026.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this the 6th day of April, 2026, a true and correct copy of the foregoing PATENT OWNER'S MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION OF DAVE R. GUNTER was served via electronic mail upon counsel of record for Petitioner at the following addresses:

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